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THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 27, 1905.

ROJESTVENSKY CUTS CABLES TO HAINAN.

Act Confirms Report that Russians Have Seized Chinese Base.

Negotiations Expected to Enter Straits of Malacca Soon; After Which It Will Join Rojestsvenky. Japan Declares Martial Law in Formosa—Schwab Gets Big Contract to Build Warships.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, April 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Mail this morning prints a dispatch from its Hongkong correspondent, stating that the cable with the island of Hainan has been cut, either by the Russian fleet or by Chinese agents.

While this has been done presumably to conceal the movements of Rojestsvenky's squadron, it also gives a distinct clue as to the whereabouts of the Russian commander. It also strengthens Tuesday's dispatch from Hongkong that the Baltic fleet has seized the island of Hainan as a base.

MARTIAL LAW IN FORMOSA.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.] TOKIO, April 26, 7 p.m.—The Privy Council today decided that martial law shall be proclaimed throughout the island of Formosa.

HONGKONG, April 27, 1:15 a.m.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Excitement that could not be calmed by perfunctory official denials spread throughout this port last evening in connection with persistent rumors that an important sea fight was in progress off Hainan island, and this morning, shortly after midnight, the report that the Hainan cable had been cut circulated rapidly, despite extreme efforts to suppress it.

The newer information was accepted as confirming the first, and though it could not be traced directly to any authentic source, the belief gained ground swiftly in the first morning hour that one of the four divisions of Rojestsvenky's Squadron was in action with one of Togo's squadrons, probably Kamimura's. This belief at this moment is held by important men in the consular service.

In a general way, an engagement has been expected to occur at any time in the past few days and it is common opinion that if a fight has not actually begun it is because the Japanese are giving the Chinese authorities full time to drive the Russians out of whatever harbor of Hainan the Baltic vessels have seized.

WIRE CABLE WAS CUT.
The cable is understood to have been cut by Rojestsvenky to prevent news of his movements from reaching the mainland. Nothing has been received by wire from Hainan since Tuesday's dispatch from Kiangchow, on its northern coast, asserting no Russian ships had been sighted from the islands of the southern harbors. It is realized that the message may have been inspired by Rojestsvenky, and that to prevent contradiction of it he probably hastened to cut the cable.

The details of the construction of the vessels remain to be worked out, but in addition to those which will be built in the United States, it is quite likely that a yard will be constructed at a Baltic port to be managed by Russian workmen but under American engineering and mechanical supervision. The Russian Admiralty being extremely anxious to utilize the rehabilitation of the navy for the encouragement of the ship-building industry at home, in order to eventually render the country independent of foreign yards.

The Admiralty has accepted Schwab's propositions strictly on their merits, he having convinced the authorities that he can produce for Russia, warships vastly superior to any thing now afloat or at present projected by any other government. They will be monster 16,000-ton vessels of enormous horse power and of a peculiar type combining the projectile-resisting power of the battleship with the speed and wide-radius of action of the cruiser. They will be delivered fully equipped for armor and ordnance.

The remarkable advance in naval architecture and construction which has been a secret, but it is believed it will involve the use of nickel steel of greater tensile strength, which, in machinery, boilers, frames, etc., will give greater power with decreased weight.

Schwab guarantees to create vessels with 30 per cent. higher efficiency than any now existing. It is understood, however, that not all the ships will be built by the Bethlehem Company, as the time for delivery is a factor, Russia desiring that the ships be turned over as early as possible. While the Bethlehem Company will supply the armor and ordnance, other American yards, therefore, will profit in the construction of the hulls. This is in accordance with the wish of the Admiralty, the Russian authorities, in placing such a large contract, having no desire to arouse hostilities among rival factories in America, the motive being merely to take advantage of American ingenuity in building up the navy.

It is understood that no arrangements have yet been concluded with French or German builders for the ships which will be constructed in those countries.

ONE UNITED COUNTRY.
Gov. Terrell of Georgia Delivers Tribute to the Heroic Dead of Both Civil War Armies.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.] LA GRANGE, (Ga.) April 26.—Gov. Joseph M. Terrell of Georgia delivered the Memorial Day address in this city today. He paid tribute to the heroic dead of both the Confederate and Federal forces, and concluded by saying: "Though we were divided forty years ago, today we are united, and united for ever. The unanimous action of Congress in restoring to the various Southern States the Confederate flags that were in possession of the government and the universal approval of that action by the people of every section of the country attest the fact of complete reunion of our people."

SETTLE EQUITABLE FIGHT.
Suggestion is Made that it Can be Done by Eliminating the Heads of Warring Factions.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] NEW YORK, April 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Wall street this morning heard a report, the details of which came with definiteness that suggested truth, that a new move has been made to settle the fight in the Equitable by eliminating from the situation, for a time at least, the heads of the warring factions. The plan, as stated, was that separate actions for receivers in different States would be collapsed into one general receivership, which would take both Alexander and Hyde out of the situation.

There is no legal provision for a national receivership, but if action were brought in separate States, or the United States Court, the district judges would probably follow the usual procedure of naming the receiver appointed by the court in whose jurisdiction the offices of the concern might be as receiver in the separate actions, so that, in effect, there would be one general receiver.

CARNegie ON MONEY.
He Believes Gifts in a Good Cause Will do Good Even Though the Source May be "Tainted."
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.] NEW YORK, April 26.—Andrew Carnegie, accompanied by his wife and daughter, sailed for Europe today on the White Star line steamer Baltic. They propose to spend the summer at St. Paul, Scotland, Carnegie's estate in Scotland. Carnegie was asked if he would say something regarding the agitation about "tainted" money. "No," he replied, laughingly; "I am hardly in a position to discuss the subject. I never give money where I think that it will not be accepted. I believe that money given in any good cause will do good and bring about good results, even though the source may be considered 'tainted' by some."

STEEL TRUST ACQUISITION.
Colorado Fuel and Iron Company May be Consolidated With the Former, and Stock Exchanged.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] DENVER, (Colo.) April 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The United States Steel Trust will, it is believed, eliminate the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company.

"The matter has been talked about," said former Judge D. C. Beaman, general counsel for the C. F. & I., "but no definite action toward a consolidation has been taken."

While the United States Steel Company and the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company have been at war in minor matters, John D. Rockefeller and George J. Gould, present owners of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, are heavily interested in the steel trust. Rockefeller and Gould have offered to make the C. F. & I. a part of the steel trust, and in exchange to take stock in the steel trust.

PENNSYLVANIA TICKET NAMED.
HARRISBURG, (Pa.) April 26.—The Republican State Convention today nominated the following ticket by acclamation: State Treasurer, Representative J. Lee Plummer of Harrisburg; Superior Court Judges: Judge Charles E. Goe of Wilkes-Barre, Judge George E. Crady of Huntington, and Judge James A. Beaver of Hellbenton. All are at present members of the Superior Court. Wiley Andrews of Headville, Secretary of the Republican State Committee, was elected State chairman, to succeed United States Senator Penrose, who declined to again be a candidate. The platform endorses the national and state administrations, favors a continuation of the present position policy and advocates the enlargement of the rural free delivery system.

EASTERN TEMPERATURES (Min.): Boston, 50; New York, 52; Buffalo, 49; Washington, 53; Pittsburgh, 54; Cincinnati, 58; Chicago, 49; St. Paul, 50; Kansas City, 52; Jacksonville, 58.
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NEW SUIT FOR HYDE

One Dresser Brings in 'Big Bill.'

Complaint Alleges Three Causes of Action and Involves Two Millions.

Methods Employed in Formation of Ship Trust Attacked by Complainant.

Senator Brackett Given Permission by Attorney-General to Sue Equitable.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—T.M.] NEW YORK, April 26.—In an action against the Mercantile Trust Company and others, papers for which were filed today by D. Leroy Dresser, the long litigation against the United States Shipbuilding Company is recalled and the "underwriting syndicate of James H. Hyde and associates," is brought into prominence, although Dresser declares the action has nothing whatever to do with the Equitable Life Assurance Society. The papers are directed against the Mercantile Trust Company, John J. McCook, Charles B. Alexander, William G. Sullivan, Charles C. Deming, Alvin W. Knech, George W. Young, James H. Hyde and others associated with James H. Hyde in the underwriting syndicate known as "James H. Hyde and Associates."

The complaint of Dresser alleges three separate causes of action, the first arising out of the methods employed in the formation of the United States Shipbuilding Company, the second for damages for losses sustained through the action of stock owned by him in the American Trading and Shipping Company, as a result of the action of the defendants in obtaining of the first suit, and the third for damages for the loss of a silk business which he alleges was destroyed by the same action of the defendants.

The sums involved are \$2,000,000, with interest upon the sum of \$500,000 from March 9, 1903; interest on \$990,000 from November 17, 1902, and interest on \$500,000 from March 9, 1903, together with the costs of the action.

SENATOR BRACKETT CAN SUE. ATTORNEY-GENERAL CONSENTS.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—T.M.] ALBANY, (N. Y.) April 26.—Attorney-General Mayer, tonight gave to Senator E. T. Brackett his consent to the bringing of an action by the latter against certain officers and directors of the Equitable Life Assurance Society in the name of Mary S. Young of Saratoga, to recover from the society moneys alleged to have been wrongfully converted by them.

To this request the Attorney-General, in according, specified that it is only for the kind of the action referred to and not for a general action for an accounting or to enjoin, restrain or interfere with the prosecution of the business of the corporation, or for the appointment of a temporary or permanent receiver.

SHOT MAN IN JAIL.
Mob at Homer, La., Inflicts Probably Fatal Wounds on Alleged Murderer.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.] SHREVEPORT, (La.) April 26.—After working three hours with sledgehammers and pickaxes, a mob of twenty-five men broke into the Parish Jail at Homer, La., seventy-five miles northeast of Shreveport, today, and shot Dick Craighead, inflicting wounds which will probably prove fatal.

Craighead was charged with the murder of Mrs. Dr. McKee, wife of his half-brother, and his little son. The authorities were unaware of the design on the prisoner until it was too late to protect him. Every telephone and telegraph wire out of Homer was cut, and the rifles of the local militia company were seized before the movement was made on the jail.

When Sheriff Kirkpatrick and citizens of the town reached the jail, they found Craighead still alive. He said that he had told the Sheriff the names of three of the lynchers, and that another prisoner in the jail told the name of another man whom he recognized. The names have not been divulged.

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NEWS FROM
THE MIDDLE WEST.
DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.
ed today. Quite the most fashionable
of Rev. and Mrs. James R. Stone, daughter
John A. Ryerson in St. James Episcopal
Church. In Trinity Church Highland
Park, was solemnized the marriage of
Miss Marion Schwarz, daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Henry C. Lytton of Chicago.
The Ryersons left for the South and the
Lyttons sail Saturday for Europe.

MILWAUKEE, NOT BURLAH.
PITTSBURGH (Pa.) April 26.—[Ex-
clusive Dispatch.] Mistaken by an
over-zealous policeman for a burglar,
James B. Laughlin, treasurer of the
Jones & Laughlin Steel Company, the
largest independent steel concern in
the world, a well-known clubman and
worth \$50,000, was placed under ar-
rest, late last night, and taken to
station number 4 in a patrol where he
passed the night in a cell with a pick-
pocket and a common drunk. Laugh-
lin was returning from a banquet at
the Duquesne Club, and was arrested
as he was entering his own home.

CITY RECORDER DISAPPEARS.
JACKSON (Mich.) April 26.—[Ex-
clusive Dispatch.] A sensation has
been created here by the sudden dis-
appearance of City Recorder Charles
E. Aldrich and a young woman. Ald-
rich deserted his family. A warrant
for his arrest was issued charging em-
bezzlement of the Excelsior Building
and Loan Association funds held by
him as treasurer.

WOULDNT GIVE TRANSFERS.
KENOSHA (Wia.) April 26.—[Ex-
clusive Dispatch.] All traffic on the
Kenosha electric street railway was
suspended today because the company
refused to accede to Mayor Gorman's
demand and issue transfers. A cordon
of police stopped the cars at Market
Square.

AT CATSUI
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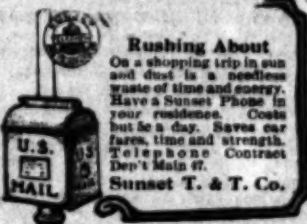


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for an automobile ride, or meet him, as he says, to take such a ride.
Charles E. Jones, who argued the case for the people, Jones' argument was that Grange acted as a prudent and honest man should when Jordan took older into counsel, to show that they had no criminal intent. He then argued that Bunkers had corroborated Jordan as to the meetings in San Francisco and held that facts and oral testimony corroborate Tichenor's testimony, which the defense does not attack, while the assault upon Hartling's character had failed. It was thus up to the jury to believe either Jordan or Bunkers; and, as to the former the defense had not been able to produce a witness to show that he is not a truthful man.

BELASCO IS JUBILANT.
He Declares, After the Hearing in Court Yesterday, That the Trust Has Received Death Blow.

NEW YORK, April 26.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In court action forced to show the books of the theatrical trust, Robert Walker, secretary to Alf Hayman, Charles Frohman's chief factotum, admitted today that the trust, since the winter of 1901-1902, drew from managers throughout the country \$227,000 for which no return had been made beyond the privilege of hiring syndicate houses at regular rentals over and above "bleeding profits." Alf Hayman himself was placed on the stand.
The motion to dismiss Belasco's complaint was promptly denied, and counsel was given until May 17 to submit briefs. Belasco is jubilant.
"I win sure," he said tonight. "The trust has received a death blow."

Wale's A MILLION BARGAINS! Alteration Sale

The front of our store does not present a very attractive appearance with the windows out of place, carpenters busy at work, and everything more or less state of confusion, but inside we have made arrangements whereby business can be handled without inconvenience.
Every department in the store will be more or less rearranged after the completion of our enlarged quarters.
Our drapery department will perhaps be changed about, enlarged, and remodeled to a greater extent than any other, and we expect to practically close out every dollar's worth of our present stock and open up our big new drapery department with a full, new stock. Note these extraordinary values:

\$3.00 Lace Curtains \$1.48 Per Pair

This lot of curtains comprises some of the choicest styles and patterns in our stock. No seconds or soiled ones among them. Every pair is clean and perfect, and there is plenty of every pattern. Curtains suitable for every room in the house. Nothing to equal them for style, finish, design or durability. Regular price \$3.00. Alteration sale price \$1.48 a pair.

75c Oriental Silks 59c a Yard

A splendid variety of drapery silks in Oriental patterns, Persian designs, stained glass effects and plain colors. Largest and best assortment in the city. Don't fail to see them. 75c quality, to be sold during our Alteration sale for 59c a yard.

\$4.00 Couch Covers \$2.75 Each

Very heavy tapestry couch covers, in Oriental patterns and Bagdad stripes, heavy fringed all round; 8 yards long, 54 and 60 inches wide. Numerous handsome styles to choose from. Alteration sale price \$2.75 each.

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These portieres come in the richest of English tapestry, moorland armures and French Repe, in Oriental patterns and stripes, also in handsome broad designs and plain colors, perfectly reversible; 50 inches wide and 3 yards long, finished with heavy knotted fringe top and bottom. Alteration sale price \$3.50 a pair.



Shorter hours for drug clerks means better, safer service for the public.

DRUG CLERKS ARE LOSERS

Many Suffer a Cut in Wages as a Result of New Law Reducing Their Hours of Work Going Into Effect

There seems to be considerable dissatisfaction in the drug trade over the law regulating the hours of labor of drug clerks passed by the last legislature which went into effect yesterday. Its chief result seems to be a reduction of wages of many employed being equivalent to the amount of some they will lose in future by the operation of the law.
Naturally the clerks were much exercised by the turn of affairs. Originally the law was passed to improve their condition, as it was stated the hours of labor of drug clerks were not only long, many employed being compelled to work fourteen and sixteen hours a day. No provision was made in the law to prevent such a reduction of wages. Consequently denunciation of the law is open and bitter and condemnation of the proprietors none the less bitter, but carefully guarded.
It is alleged that the law does away with overtime also. As ten hours a day and thirty hours a week is the maximum allowed by the law, and the minimum considered fair by the proprietors, the law, with a few exceptions, will reduce wages in proportion to the cut in hours. As there is a penalty attached to violations by the clerks as well as by the proprietors, the latter will be unable to work overtime and make up their former salaries.
There is no organization of the local drug clerks, and it is doubtful if concerted resistance will be made against the cut. The chief leadership will fall upon proprietors and clerks of the smaller pharmacies, where two clerks will be required where formerly one and the proprietor suffered to do the work.
There is considerable doubt entertained as to the constitutionality of the law, and a test case may be brought to settle the matter. The supreme court of New York last week decided that the law after which the present act is modeled was unconstitutional.

Hot at 'The Owl' store
Owl employees have not and will not be sent a cent better since we found the law under our new schedule for 6 days a week, enough for any one to work. We call upon the public to help 'The Owl' in maintaining shorter hours for overworked drug clerks to get acquainted with safe and.

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WASHINGTON.

THAT CHECK OF LOOMIS.

Explained by Difficulty of Securing Exchange.

President Will Have Bowen's Charge Investigated.

Chinese Immigration Problem Also the Revenues.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

WASHINGTON, April 26.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Secretary Taft refuses absolutely to discuss the charges contained in the letter to the New York Herald from Caracas, published today, affecting Secretary of State Loomis. He even refuses to say whether or not any charges have been made by Minister Bowen, as the letter asserts. Loomis himself cannot be found. It is said at his house and his office that he is still out of the city.

Although observers are not credulous, the extraordinary charges, some of which have been a matter of gossip here for many months, they believe that this publication calls for a thorough investigation on the President's return, and this seemingly can no longer be delayed. South American diplomats, as a class, have been especially bitter against Loomis for a long time, regarding him as the influence in the administration leading it into the "big stick" policy and as responsible for some of the uncompromising allusions to Latin-American governments which have come from official sources, as well as for the recent dispatches to President Castro.

While Minister to Venezuela, Loomis took an aggressive policy toward that country, and like Minister Bowen came persons non grata to Castro, who asked for his recall. But Venezuela soon after his withdrawal from its capital, made him established in a place in the State Department here having direction largely over South American relations, and it is asserted that he promptly began to instruct Minister Bowen to pursue the policy which had made Loomis so unwelcome there. Quite apart from any considerations of morality, it is argued that no man would have taken a \$10,000 check in these circumstances which could not be explained. Loomis's friends tell of difficulties in getting exchange in Caracas, due to Castro's "bleeding the banks" and of the desire for New York and London funds. They suggest that this may have been merely an exchange check to accommodate Americans there. If Loomis himself has ever explained the charge, it must have been to those who were entitled to know, like the President and Secretary Hay, and not to the public. Now that the charge has been made publicly, some explanation will doubtless follow.

GEN. ANDREWS'S EXPLANATION.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK, April 26.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) As none of the officers or directors of the New York and Bermuda Asphalt Company lives in this city, it is impossible to learn here the details of the transactions that set up the report from Venezuela concerning the scandalous reports current in Venezuela and sent to Washington by Mr. Bowen, United States Minister at Caracas, concerning Loomis. According to the dispatch printed in the Herald, Minister Bowen has accused Loomis of having received a check for \$10,000 from the asphalt company, whose interests it was his duty to protect at the time he was Minister to Venezuela. This charge, together with other allegations, is said to be in the hands of the President, upon whose return to Washington a public statement on the subject may be expected.

Gen. Avery D. Andrews, vice-president of the Bermudez Company, has already convinced the President that there is no hidden the accusation. The President and Gen. Andrews were police commissioners together in New York, and are warm friends. The general's explanation is said to have been that Loomis, when he started to Caracas, obtained from the company an order on the bank for \$10,000, which he gave to the company, giving in exchange his own check on an American bank. The only reason for this transaction, Gen. Andrews is reported to have said, was that Loomis wished to start out with enough native currency "to see him through until he was properly installed in Caracas."

No other money had passed between the company and the Minister, it was added, unless Loomis had happened to have occasional checks cashed at the Caracas office of the concern.

THAT "DEFICIT."

UNCLE SAM NOT WORRIED.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

WASHINGTON, April 26.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) An official who picked up the treasury statement yesterday saw that the deficit for the current fiscal year was more than \$30,000,000 jumped to the conclusion that the beginning of the new fiscal year, July 1, the shortage would be at least \$25,000,000. Immediately stories were set afloat that Secretary Shaw was considering schemes for raising more revenue. It is true that the deficit is well on to two when Secretary Shaw estimated it would be by June 30, but this is giving no concern to Shaw and other Treasury Department officials. They admit now that the deficit will be greater than was expected, but they say it will be of no more relative importance to the government than would be an unlooked-for shortage of \$10 in the bank account of an ordinary citizen.

CHINESE IMMIGRATION.

TREATY AGREEMENT HALTS.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.M.)

WASHINGTON, April 26.—Negotiations between the United States and China for a treaty restricting the immigration of Chinese to this country practically have been abandoned. It has been found impossible by the representatives of the two governments to reach a common ground of agreement as to many of the terms of the proposed treaty. The whole subject, therefore, is being held in abeyance until W. W. Rockhill, the recently-appointed Minister of the United States to China, shall arrive in Peking. It is expected that he will take up the matter directly with the Chinese government in an effort to reach such an adjustment of the tangled web as may be satisfactory to both governments.

When Wu Ting Fang was Minister of China to this country he made an exhaustive study of the Chinese immigration question, ascertaining very precisely, among other things, the American point of view. He has been consistently that unjust restrictions were thrown by this government around the immigration of Chinese, but that it was unable to accomplish anything in the way of lowering the barriers during his sojourn here. In China he is now in a position to make it difficult, if not ab-

LABOR.

STRIKE NOW GENERAL ONE.

Chicago Teamsters Refuse to Deliver Goods.

Action Follows Ultimatum of Employers.

More Suits Brought Against Western Federation.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

CHICAGO, April 26.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The teamsters' strike has developed rapidly since the announcement of the Employers' Association Tuesday that any employee who refused to deliver goods according to instructions would be discharged. Tomorrow morning, 400 drivers for the department stores and wholesale houses will refuse to go to work.

How far the strike will spread and how much violence there will be in the streets of Chicago can only be guessed. Preparations have been made to ask for a Federal injunction to protect against the strikers' action.

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WASHOUTS ON SANTA FE IN NEW MEXICO REPAIRED.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Overcome by Gas.

While working on a gas main in a trench at Seventh and Flower streets, yesterday afternoon, James A. Perkins and C. C. Coult, employees of the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company, were overcome by escaping gas and dropped in their tracks. Workmen pulled them out and hurried them to a nearby drug store where Police Surgeon Quint attended them. They were soon restored to consciousness and sent home.

Pennsylvanian Dies.

John Zimmerman, a former wealthy resident of Verona, Pa., died yesterday of consumption at his late home No. 220 West Avenue Fifty-three. Mr. Zimmerman had long been a sufferer from tuberculosis and several years ago he sought relief by moving to Southern California. He leaves a widow and two children. The funeral will occur at the late residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The remains will be sent to Verona for interment.

Jewish Memorial.

A special memorial service will be held at the synagogue Beth Israel on Olive street near Temple on Thursday morning. The recently appointed rabbi, Dr. Isidore Myers, will deliver the sermon, the topic of which will be "A Little Child Shall Lead Them." On Sunday evening a musical program which has been prepared will be given and Dr. Myers will install as permanent rabbi of the congregation Beth Israel. The public are invited to this service.

Sale on Main Street.

A. Vignolo closed out yesterday the last lot held by him in the Vignolo-Hunt tract, which is subdivided in 175. This was a fifteen-acre tract consisting of the property on the east side of Main street, between Fifth and Sixth and Los Angeles streets. The sale yesterday was to Emma Up de Graff, through the agency of W. B. Merwin and J. A. Rowan, a lot of 175, 160 feet on the east side of Main street, just north of the Burbank Theater. Consideration stated \$67,500. Purchaser will erect a four-story brick block on the lot.

Business Women's Club.

The Los Angeles Business Women's Club rooms were opened yesterday evening with a reception and entertainment. Several of the prominent business women of the city who are identified with the launching of the enterprise were present and took part in the exercises. The principal speaker was Mrs. Mary H. Kinkaid, who gave an interesting address, in which she dealt of labor for women in our large cities were pointed out. The clubrooms, situated on West Fourth street between Spring and Broadway, are furnished tastefully.

Last Lot in Tract Sold.

The last lot in the Nevitt tract held by the original owners was sold yesterday by Frank X. Pfaffinger to Mrs. Mary M. Schader. This is a lot 75x175 feet, at the northwest corner of Wilton Place and Sixteenth streets. Consideration named, \$2500. This tract was platted about three years ago, and lies between Pico and Sixteenth streets, Wilton Place and Manhattan Place. It has practically sold itself, as but a small amount of money has been spent in advertising. A building restriction of \$2500 has been maintained, with provision that residences must be set back forty feet from the street line. No lots have been sold within the tract year except to persons who agreed to erect residences.

Federal Courts.

The suit of L. Tommasini against Rocco Chigla, for arrears in salary, has been transferred from the Superior Court of San Luis Obispo county to the United States District Court here, on the ground that the defendant does not live in this county—Chigla's place of residence is now in Maggia, cantone Ticino, Switzerland. Tommasini alleges that he worked for his employer as a ranch manager from October, 1928, to November, 1931, and received no compensation. He believes his services were worth \$15,000, but asks only \$2500 at present. Another case heard before United States District Court yesterday was that of Rackett Cornell, arraigned on a charge of "grafting" from the internal revenue department. Cornell is held in a bond of \$1000, and his trial is to be in the Northern District of California.

BREVITIES.

The volume of "Lithers" in the Sunday Times has become so great that it is found necessary to ask patrons to get their Sunday advertisements in earlier; especially Sunday real estate advertisements, which in order to be printed must be in the office not later than 10 o'clock Saturday night. The printing of all real estate matter, including advertisements, in a part by itself on Sundays involves somewhat slower press work, making it essential in order to get the paper out on time, to receive real estate ads at 10 o'clock Saturday night. Dealers will confer a favor on The Times office if they will turn in Sunday copy on Friday, when possible; or at least a part of it, and the balance early on Saturday. Sunday "Want" ads will still be received by phone and over the counter until 11 o'clock Saturday night.

British subjects are requested to send their addresses to the undersigned. All British-born persons owning property in California are earnestly advised to execute wills appointing resident executors. Forms gratis on application. Reasons for this advice can be obtained by communication with C. White Mortimer, British Vice-Consul.

The ladies' rest room on the top floor of the new wing of The Times Building, is open daily from 9 to 5. Ladies from town or country will find this a convenient place to write, rest or read. Stationery provided for correspondence. Both phones available. Take elevator in business office. All are welcome.

At the First Congregational Church, Sunday evening, the Easter music will be repeated, as a large number were turned away on Easter morning. Our eye glasses often give better results and are more satisfactory than glasses that cost from \$5 to \$10. Best at crystal reading lenses in 18 year gold filled frames at \$1.50, satisfaction guaranteed. Eyes tested by three graduate State Licensed opticians. Clark's, 351 S. Spring street.

For sale—Furniture, carpets and draperies, piano and pianola, complete, in an eight room house, near Westlake. Inquire 212 West Sixth street. Phone 5113.

Rehearsals for the Innes May Festival Chorus take place every Tuesday and Thursday evening at 7:45 at Birkbeck Hall, 345 S. Spring street. There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph Company for W. J. Ehsman, C. A. Peake and Mrs. W. D. Dunmore.

Mrs. Adams-Fisher will deliver her lecture, "On the Road to Mandalay," at Young Women's Christian Association, this evening. Members invited. Mrs. Kate Tupper Galpin lecture on "Stratford-on-Avon," 10:30 a.m. today, Cumnock Hall. Admission 50 cents.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Company for J. C. Butler, Mrs. G. H. West, Mrs. T. Richmond, Mrs. G. A. Baker, A. L. Jessup, J. Appleton Wilson, John Malone, J. Brandes, George D. Plunet, F. G. Bradley, Danford & Levy, Freeman, W. Richards, Mrs. A. E. Walker, Miss Jennie Barrett, Orville C. Pratt.

VITAL RECORD: BIRTHS, DEATHS.

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BAILEY—April 26, 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Bailey, Los Angeles Military Academy, a daughter.

DEATHS.

HUNTER—In this city, Mrs. Nora M. Hunter, aged 58 years. Funeral today at 2 o'clock from W. H. Hutch's funeral chapel, No. 525 Commercial street.

ROBIN—Yesterday, at 3 p.m., William Robin, a native of Montreal, Canada, died at his residence, No. 1275 Marano avenue, North Hollywood, Friday, April 26, 1934, aged 38 years 10 months.

WELSH—At his late residence, No. 129 West Adams street, Mrs. W. W. Welsh, aged 61 years 10 months.

WOLFE—In Los Angeles, April 25, 1934, Mrs. Cora Wolfe, aged 59 years. Funeral from her late residence, 401 S. Broadway, today at 2 p.m.

YOUNG—In this city, April 25, Catherine, beloved wife of A. W. Young, died at her late residence, 401 S. Broadway, today at 2 p.m.

PADILLA—At Camulos, April 24, 1934, Maria Avila de Padilla, aged 50 years. Funeral at the same place, April 27, at 2 p.m.

ZIMMERMAN—At No. 220 West Avenue 53, April 25, 1934, John Zimmerman, beloved husband of Mrs. Katherine Zimmerman, and father of Lawrence Zimmerman, a native of Pennsylvania, aged 40 years. Funeral from his residence, Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. P. P. Berry officiating. Friends invited to attend.

HOLMES—At his late residence, No. 1275 Marano avenue, North Hollywood, Friday, April 26, 1934, William Robin, aged 38 years 10 months. Funeral from his late residence, Thursday, at 2:30 p.m. Cremation, Mountain View Cemetery, Pasadena, Cal.

HILL—At his late residence, No. 129 Flower street, April 25, 1934, Frances Mary Hill, beloved wife of W. H. Hill, and mother of Dr. E. D. Hill, a native of New Jersey, died at her late residence, Thursday, April 26, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment, Rosehill Cemetery.

Friends may view the remains at the chapel of the Orr & Hines Co., 225 S. Broadway, until 1 p.m. today.

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An Estey Pipe Organ

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Los Angeles Daily Times

THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 1905.

WIDOW OF SENATOR WHITE SUES FOR BIG FEE OUT OF PIOUS FUND.

Accuses Northern Attorney, John T. Doyle, of Failure to Keep Faith With Her Former Husband—Thousands of Dollars Involved.

THOUSANDS of people in Los Angeles and throughout Southern California will be keenly interested in a suit which is to be brought to trial before the Superior Court of San Mateo county at Redwood City next Tuesday, May 2.

It is a suit by Mrs. Robert P. Troy of San Francisco, formerly the wife of Stephen M. White, to collect from John T. Doyle of Menlo Park the sum of \$20,000 for services rendered by the late Senator White in bringing about a settlement of the Pious Fund case.

Yesterday, in this city, the deposition of Superior Judge Charles Monroe, who, previous to 1890, was Senator White's law partner, was taken by Attorney J. Wiseman MacDonald, acting for ex-Senator D. M. Delmas and Robert P. Troy of San Francisco, attorneys for Mrs. Troy; also the deposition of William Cardwell, who was Senator White's chief clerk. Nothing of very definite importance was arrived at in the depositions themselves, but attached to the deposition of Judge Monroe are copies of letters which passed between Senator White and Mr. Doyle during the years 1890, 1894, 1897 and 1898, all of which are to be placed in evidence by the plaintiff in support of the \$20,000 claim. These letters were selected from the firm letter books of White & Monroe yesterday by William S. White, the Senator's son, who is a law student in the office of Henry W. O'Leary, Esquire, and they were forwarded to San Francisco.

ONE-THIRD OF ONE-FOURTH.

It may seem to some that the future which will not bring forth fresh troubles from the Pious Fund case is as remote as the past, in which the first joints of that celebrated intricacy were put together. However that may be, to present clearly the case of Senator White's former wife, and to settle the indirect beneficiaries of the famous disbursement, it is necessary to first sketch briefly the history of the international adjustment of the claim.

Of the many lawyers of note who were connected with the settlement of

latter was boundlessly enthusiastic in his praise of the brilliant efforts of the former. He not only expressed his profound gratification to Senator White, person many times, verbally and in writing, but he spoke of it to others, and he is credited with having written more than a few letters to persons other than Senator White referring to the splendid achievements of the California lawyer in arousing the interest of the government for the States itself was in no wise concerned in the adjustment of the Pious Fund claim except as the governmental guardian of the rights of certain of its citizens. The sole possible beneficiary direct was the Roman Catholic church in California, and the United States could act only, and did act solely, as the proper intermediary through which the demand for the fund was made upon Mexico. Yet the



The Robert P. Troy.

claim was in no sense a government claim. After the death of Senator White, a demand was made upon John T. Doyle for compensation for services rendered; but Doyle (who is a man worth approximately \$300,000) became suddenly fearful of what had been done for him, according to the representations of Mr. White and his friends. He refused to pay, and on several occasions committed himself to written expressions of a willingness to pay something. But his letter book, which was in the hands of William S. White until yesterday, when he forwarded it to San Francisco for evidence, is positively ludicrous in its niggardliness. In it, after belittling the services of the great lawyer and dead statesman, he offers to settle the widow's claim with a payment of how much should you think? Two hundred and fifty dollars!

Doyle, say the friends of Mrs. Troy, has endeavored in many ways to defend his neglect and refusal to pay for the work of Senator White, and has left nothing undone to discredit and minimize the value of those brilliant services. Recently he attempted to plead the statute of limitations, but his written promise to pay, executed within the last two years, when called to his attention, he refused to acknowledge, saying that he had "made a mistake as to dates."

ONE SUBTERFUGE. Another subterfuge, of whose employment by Doyle there is documentary evidence, was the pleading that he was not indebted to Senator White because Senator White, in solving the Pious Fund problem, acted in his official capacity as a member of the United States Senate for Doyle, his constituent.

The bad faith of this assertion, say the friends of former Mrs. White, is shown by Doyle's correspondence, by his written contract with Senator White, and by the fact that William M. Stewart, himself a United States Senator, and associated with White in the case, received a fee of \$25,000.

Then Doyle, seeking a new avenue of escape from payment of what is declared to be an honest, fair and moderate fee, sets up the objection that, whatever may have been the understanding of the income tax law, he was not to be paid for his services as a Senator. He claims that the Federal Statutes forbid a member of the Congress from being pecuniarily interested in any claim to which the United States is a party.

But, overlooking the moral seriousness of the contention, there is no tenability in this argument either, for in no sense was the United States "a party" to the Pious Fund claim; merely acted as a governmental intermediary for its adjustment in the interest of the rights of certain of its citizens, as has been pointed out. The only "parties" to the claim were the Catholic church in California on the one side, and the republic of Mexico on the other.

BRIGHT SIDELIGHT. A Los Angeles attorney of high integrity, remarking upon Mrs. Troy's suit yesterday, had this to say: "Doyle has resorted to these flimsy tricks for the purpose of casting a stain upon the name and memory of the great man who served him so faithfully, and so well—in the sordid hope that by shaming the dead he may escape the payment of a just debt to the living."

It may be pertinent to state, at this time, that during the period in which Senator White was working on the Pious case for John T. Doyle, the latter begged the Senator to obtain for his (Doyle's) brother a position in the San Francisco postoffice. Senator White did procure this position for Doyle's brother, who for four years drew therefrom an annual salary of \$3000.

JUDGE MONROE EXPLAINS.

It seems that application was made, recently, to Judge Charles Monroe by the attorneys for Mrs. Troy that he

DIVIDE SWAG UNDER LIGHT.

Two Nervy Footpads Rob Hotel Employees on Central Avenue.

D. W. Jones, who is employed at the Van Nuys hotel and resides at No. 622 East Fourth street, was held up and robbed by two unmasked highwaymen near the corner of Fourth street and Central avenue at 11:30 o'clock last night.

Jones had just been paid for a week's work, \$15, and was going home. He met the two men, who passed him and then wheeled and covering him with revolvers, ordered him to throw up his hands and make no outcry. He obeyed and while one of the robbers kept a revolver thrust against his back, the other searched him, taking his money and a silk handkerchief.

Telling their victim to walk across the street and not to look back, the highwaymen kept him covered until he got out of range. The last Jones saw of them, they were standing boldly under an electric light, dividing the money. Jones went at once to the Police Station and reported the robbery.

produce and give into their possession, for evidence in the coming trial, a score or more of letters addressed to Doyle by Senator White and others, and dressed to Senator White by Doyle, all going to show the falsity of Doyle's contention that White was acting in the Pious matter as a United States Senator and not as a lawyer; and that this application was refused.

The point was apparently straightened out by Judge Monroe yesterday in a statement to a representative of The Times. He said: "I did decline to pass these letters into the hands of outside parties, or to submit them to outside parties for personal, and my reason was this: As the survivor of the law firm of White & Monroe, I am the legitimate custodian of all the effects of the firm, including its letter-books. These letter-books contain, besides the letters in the Pious case, many things of a private nature, and certainly I could not be expected to throw them open to public view."

Neither did I wish to deprive Mrs. Troy's attorneys of any evidence that might be of benefit to Senator White's widow. Therefore, I had all of the old firm's letter-books brought to my office, and today I gladly permitted William S. White to go through them and have copies made of such letters as he thought would be useful in his mother's case. It having been stipulated by both sides that these copies should be accepted the same as originals, they were this afternoon attached to my deposition, and, I understand, have been forwarded to San Francisco.

"Though I was Senator White's law partner, I was not engaged with him in his work on the Pious case, and am in no way familiar with the merits of his widow's claim. To make my position perfectly clear, I have handed to Mrs. Troy my written disclaimer of any right or title to any part of any fee that may be used for or recovered by her on account of Senator White's services in the case."

FIVE HURT ON ECHO MOUNTAIN.

WOODMEN AND THEIR WIVES IN TROLLEY ACCIDENT.

Car "Pockets" a Crowd of Excursionists and Mrs. W. Ona Morton is Painfully Injured, With Several Others—Loss of Life is Narrowly Averted—Too Much Speed.

As a result of an accident on the trolley line to Echo Mountain yesterday, five members of a party of Woodmen of the World en route to Mt. Echo were injured and loss of life was narrowly averted. The injured are:

Mrs. W. Ona Morton of No. 543 South Hill street; two ribs broken, and bruised.
W. Ona Morton, bruised.
C. V. Cooper of Portland, Or., Past Head Banker of the Woodmen, had lacerated.

Mrs. C. V. Cooper, injured by a fall. W. J. Wilson of Pueblo, Colo., bruised and contusions.
About one hundred members of the Woodmen of the World and their families started to Mt. Echo yesterday morning on a pleasure jaunt. When a contingent composed of about fifteen persons left the Echo Mountain station, they waited for a trolley car to back down to the end of the line, and take them aboard. They were standing beside the track in a narrow space between the rails and a wall, near a point where the electric cars usually stop.

When the trolley came backing down the hill, preceded by a trailer, the Woodmen aver that it was running at an unnecessary high rate of speed, but they thought it would quickly slacken and take them aboard. They didn't. In the excitement Mrs. Morton was accidentally crowded into the track directly in front of the cars.

C. V. Cooper quickly realized the danger, and jumping to Mrs. Morton's side, he grabbed her and nearly succeeded in making his escape when he was struck a glancing blow by the side of the car and thrown against Mrs. Morton with such force that two of her ribs were broken. Cooper escaped with a badly lacerated hand and several bruises.

Murmured by the cars several members of the crowd were forced upon the wall and over it. On the other side was a sheer drop of ten feet. W. J. Whitlock fell and sustained painful injuries. He broke the fall of Mrs. Cooper. Mrs. Morton was slightly injured in the crash.

In the convention hall last evening, the Woodmen adopted resolutions of sympathy with the victims of the accident and praised the heroism of the men who by their bravery prevented loss of life.

All of the excursionists are loud in their denunciation of the trainmen who, they say, were responsible for the accident by whirling the cars down the steep grade so fast.

California del Sur.

NEWS OF THE COUNTRY.

ON ALL NEWS STATIONS 15 CENTS

CANVASS OF MERCHANTS.

Showing Hand in Campaign Over Saloons.

M. and M. Association Makes First Move.

Leaders Opposed to Scheme of Dr. Chapman.

Members of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association have received circular letters requesting them to express their views on the anti-saloon crusade.

They are asked to advise the officers of the association whether they wish Los Angeles to be "dry" or to permit the sale of liquor at retail, under police restriction.

The answers will determine if the association is to support or oppose the movement for the abolishment of the saloons.

The M. and M. leaders say there is no question as to how the majority of their membership will vote on this preliminary ballot. They declare that the sentiment is three to one against the closing of the saloons, although there is no disposition to uphold the propriety or the cheap liquor resort for the closing of the saloons.

If the members of the association express themselves as opposed to legislating the saloons out of existence, it is expected that the directors will be asked to take action on that line.

"The business men of Los Angeles—those who have helped in bringing the city to its present commercial importance—are opposed to this anti-saloon agitation," said one of the number yesterday, who is a prominent director of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association.

"In the first place, temperance is a matter of education, not of legislation. It is safe to say that only a very small proportion of the leading business men of this city use liquor to any great extent, and they are as much opposed as anyone can be to the evils of the low saloon."

"This does not mean that they are opposed on principle to the retail sale of liquor, for they believe in the laws which desire it will and should be permitted to obtain it."

Aside from the moral aspect of the question, which I and others do not believe is one to be settled by legislation, the commercial interests of Los Angeles should have consideration. Why, just because of this agitation, there already is a feeling of uncertainty among investors and others. Real estate men will tell you that prospective purchasers are holding off until they know how the election is going. If the city is to be 'dry' they will not buy."

"I know that manufacturing has fallen off in some lines just because of this feeling of unrest. It is idle to say that other investors will come in here if the voters should declare for a 'closed' town."

"I predict that, in the event the anti-saloon movement is carried, there will be a decrease of at least 25 per cent. in the value of the business section, and I am thoroughly convinced that the great demand for business property, which has been so pronounced lately, would cease immediately after the adoption of a law closing the saloons."

"I notice that some importance has been attached by the anti-saloon agitators to the success of the movement in Cambridge, Mass. I think a little investigation will prove that Cambridge is not to be compared with Los Angeles. Cambridge is a suburb of Boston and, in itself, is little more than a residence section. It is a small town and has no commercial situation for that suburb, because its real business center is Boston, reached in a few minutes by electric cars. No one would argue that saloons would be desirable in the residence sections of Los Angeles."

The commercial interests of Los Angeles, I believe, wish this city to afford the greatest measure of personal liberty to its citizens and to the thousands of tourists who come here every year. It is desired to make the city attractive to all classes, not to restrict its attractiveness to that one class of persons, commonly respectable, no doubt, who wish the abolishment of liquor selling."

"Another thing in this connection is that the persons who have started this agitation are not Los Angeles citizens. They have come here from the outside to try an experiment that would be a failure in Kansas, in Maine, in Iowa and in various other States. They do not reflect the sentiment of the people, and I believe this will be proved at the ratio of three to one when the election comes."

PLAN LOT SALE AT LAS VEGAS.

SALT LAKE DIRECTORS FORM TOWNSITE COMPANY.

Senator Clark and Associates Give Final Touches to Measure Concerning New Line and Will Meet Again Tomorrow—President of Road to Visit His Arizona Mines.

The only news that oozed from the directors' meeting of the Salt Lake road yesterday was that the Las Vegas Land and Water Company had been formed for the purpose of handling the railroad's townsite lands at Las Vegas, Nev.

The lands at that point which are not required for railroad use are to be placed on sale May 1, it was announced, probably through offices to be established at Las Vegas, Las Vegas and Salt Lake City. The schedule of prices for the town lots has not yet been approved.

It was stated by one of the directors who was present at the meeting, that Senator Clark and the directors from Los Angeles and abroad that the chiefs of the new road concerned themselves mostly with the approval of the bill, and with other matters of a routine nature. The Los Angeles terminal and the decision as to whether to express company, together with other questions pertinent to the opening of the line for traffic, were not decided, it was said. Another meeting of the directors is to be held tomorrow, however, at which time it is expected that final disposition will be made of unfinished business.

Senator Clark is expected to leave on Friday evening or Saturday for Jerome, Ariz., to visit his mining properties. He probably will return to Los Angeles a few days later.

PUBLIC SERVICE OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Complaints about the dust nuisance arising from unwhashed and unwept city streets have moved the Board of Public Works to recommend the letting of a new street-sweeping contract.

Acting Mayor Summerland says that he is enlisting Secretary Taft, by "sitting on the lid" while his chief is away.

The temporary bridge over the Los Angeles River at the intersection of the seventh street was yesterday opened for traffic.

The Swisher family skeleton danced a jig in Judge Conroy's court yesterday.

The probability is that J. C. Steele will be acquitted of the charge of robbing Jasper Thomson by means of marked cards.

A post broke loose in the City Jail yesterday.

PUBLIC ADVERTISING—NEW TODAY.

(1.) Ordinance declaring intention to order lighting of Spring street. (2.) Notice of filing of assessment for widening a portion of the Julian street. These advertisements will be found on page 6, Part II.

AT THE CITY HALL.

SEEK TO ABATE DUST NUISANCE.

COUNCIL FAVORS NEW STREET SWEEPING CONTRACT.

Depleted Funds in the Street Department Advanced as Reason for Unwashed and Unwept Streets. Property Owners Make Vigorous Complaint—Relief Promised.

Again is the dust nuisance to the fore at the City Hall.

Complaints about the unwashed and unkempt condition of city streets are multiplying daily.

Dust and grit, drift on the polished apron of the dust-begrimed housewife's shoes like that of a housewife through the corridors of the City Hall from the vault in the basement to the Mayor's office in the big north tower.

City Auditor Schwabe and Chairman Kern of the Board of Public Works say that there are extenuating circumstances.

They want fewer extensions and more street sweepers and sprinkling carts.

A badly-emaciated street fund, already very low and hardly likely to survive until the first of the next fiscal year, offers little prospect of relief.

During the first half of the present fiscal year the street department burnt its candle at both ends. Now the Finance Committee is calling for retrenchment to avoid a deficit and the people are crying for more sprinkling carts and less dust.

It was in the middle of last August, almost a year ago, that the contract for street sweeping was let.

Since that time the street department has been running along in a happy-go-lucky fashion, neglecting the duties of paved streets in order to cut down expenses.

Realizing that it was carrying its plan for economy a bit too far, the Council last Monday recommended the plan of ordering thirty additional sprinkling carts placed on the streets and adding a number of new streets to the machine-swept district.

These thirty sprinkling carts and fifty others were taken off the streets last January to save expenses.

Responding to pointed petitions from the heart of the business district, the Board of Public Works has proposed new specifications for street sweeping.

Monday the board will ask the Council to advertise for bids for sweeping the streets in the business district for a period of two years.

Street Superintendent Stanley yesterday afternoon admitted that the streets are dustier than they should be at this season. He said that in an effort to keep within his budget, he had scattered the few sprinkling carts around to cover as much territory as possible.

"I am not surprised," he said, "that people are protesting. We trusted the sprinkling to be just as far as we could. But he has got his eyes on the inches of rain and has started off on his summer vacation."

It has been compelled this week to bring thirty sprinkling carts from the suburbs into the business district. Their absence will hardly be noticed outside, as we are getting thirty additional sprinkling carts in commission; fifteen this week and fifteen next. But the people will have to wait for the convenience from the dust until after the first of the next fiscal year. Then he hopes to be in condition financially to keep the streets cleaner.

Faving several miles of streets with asphalt during the last year has added materially to the expense of street sweeping. All the asphalt streets are swept by the city, the money coming out of the street department fund. There are now several miles of streets on which ordinances of intention to pave with asphalt have been passed. Other ordinances are pending, and it all means more expense to the street department.

Threatened competition in asphalt paving has occasioned a slump in prices, which property owners are showing a disposition to turn to their advantage. Four years ago asphalt was selling on the local market for \$24 a ton; a year ago the prevailing price was \$14 a ton; the city is now buying asphalt for \$13.50 a ton.

"SITTING ON THE LID."

SUMMERLAND EMULATES TAFT.

Acting Mayor Summerland is striving diligently to give the city full service in return for the honors that are thrust upon him during the absence of the Chief Executive.

Promptly at 8 o'clock yesterday morning he unlocked the door to the Mayor's private office. With the exception of an hour for lunch, that door was not closed until the hands of the moon-faced clock in the City Clerk's office pointed to the hour of 6 p.m.

And such a day it was. Four women from the squallid district east of Main street, begging for permits to peddle tawdry baubles, buttons, pencils and the like, were met at the door of the Mayor's sanctum by the Chief Executive himself.

Each received a kind word, and most of them the desired permits, provided, of course, that the Chief of Police would "O. K." the orders. Summerland is so full that his hospitality does not extend to known fakery.

At the noon hour a troop of schoolboys from the Fourth Ward, boys who have been recipients of circus tickets from their Councilman in the past, hurried like a flock of frightened partridges up the broad City Hall steps to the Mayor's office just for the pleasure of addressing him as Mayor Summerland.

If fate were as kind as some think he ought to be she would bring a cir-

HAYS CASE GOES TO JURY THIS MORNING.

CROWDS of people gathered in Judge Welborn's court yesterday to hear the end of the Hays trial. Among the number were a dozen or more women.

One of the visitors was Chew Kok Huan, the secretary to His Excellency, Kang Yu Tai.

The day was taken with the last arguments, that of Mr. McKeeby for the prosecution, E. A. Meserve closing for the defense, and District Attorney Valentine presenting the final argument in behalf of the government.

The charge to the jury, owing to the lateness of the hour, was postponed until 12:30 this morning. This is awaited by both sides with strained anxiety.

Mr. McKeeby's argument had a unique interest in the fact that he had been for years a personal friend of Hays, for whose conviction he was now urging.

He made a brief argument, but of good meat. He called attention to the fact that Hays found the cash \$3000

cus to town while Summerland is acting Mayor.

During the afternoon a few knuckers, disinterested with the McKeeby administration, craved to see the acting Mayor. Their requests were gently but firmly refused. Summerland declined to have anything to do with questions of policy, or with anything that might tend to embarrass Mayor Meserve when he returns.

"Mac trusted me as a faithful steward," is the way Summerland puts it. "I am not going to bail things up for him."

A number of suggestions have been made to the acting Mayor for turning the street sweeping contract over to him, but he has spurned them all.

"I feel very much like Secretary Taft," he said, "sitting on the lid and I am going to do my best to hold it down."

OPEN TO TRAVEL.

SEVENTH-STREET BRIDGE.

The temporary structure which for the next two or three years is to span the Los Angeles River at the foot of East Seventh street was yesterday morning opened to travel.

Replacing the bridge that was swept away last winter's floods, the "temporary" structure has been reinforced.

Until it has the appearance of considerable permanence. When the plans were originally drawn it was expected that the bridge would be service for only a short time, and that the city and the Los Angeles Railway Company would join in the construction of a massive steel bridge. But the railway company has declined to have anything to do with the proposition; it has no line on East Seventh street, and it does not have one, as long as the twenty-one-year time limit for railway franchises remains good in the city charter.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

SECRETS OVER THE TELEPHONE.

ODD FAD OF MRS. SWISHER A STRING OF HUSBANDS.

Last One Doesn't Know for Certain Even Yet Whether He Ever Was Lawful Spouse of Much-married Woman Who Remained Gay to the End.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Swisher is a traveled Englishwoman whose vocation has been matrimony, but in seeking to lift it on the plane of an art she has met with serious setbacks. In this view of matrimony she also has lost interest and power of appreciation along other lines of artistic and scientific advancement.

For instance, she has no use for "phones. She thinks that instead of being public conveniences they are public nuisances, and in some sort the reason for her opinion in this regard was developed in court yesterday before Judge Conroy.

About a year ago Mrs. Swisher became a suit for divorce against G. C. E. Swisher. He is a farmer and workman, he says. By hard work he has accumulated about \$15,000, and in the vicinity of his home he has a large tract of land.

She has a small ranch at Chatsworth. He moved for the sole and sole purpose of married life, and about that time Mrs. Swisher burst upon his vision. She was living as a widow with two children, a girl widow, her husband, William C. Hamlin, having disappeared. But she told Swisher that she was a widow and so they would have to go out of the state to be married.

February 4, 1933 they were married in the city. At the time appointed for the wedding ceremony, Mrs. Swisher discovered that matrimony is not all that it is cracked up to be. The woman averred, when she started divorce proceedings, that Swisher was light-fisted and pinched a \$20 gold piece so hard that she could hear the eagle scream. To make ends meet she said she had to run a boarding house. Before the suit was started, Mrs. Swisher had a homebased place upon the Wall-street property.

Swisher retained prominent attorneys and they in time met with Mrs. Swisher's counsel to talk things over. All hands realized that it might be better to bury past differences—but the telephone interfered.

Over a party line was heard a tryst made by Mrs. Swisher with one of the boarders, W. E. Morgan, and Elmer's Detective Agency was appealed to in the emergency. At the time appointed for the wedding ceremony, Mrs. Swisher was told that she was to be married to Swisher. Then there was wining and weeping.

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honest, and that he is striving to redeem his error.

Deputy District Attorney North did not interpose any request for clemency for the defendant, but Judge Smith cut the matter short in a few words.

"I'm going to release this man on probation," he said; "I'm not going to make him of one and flesh of another."

The face of the defendant twitched and worked with the shock of pleasant surprise. No one had given him any hope. Even his friends told him that he must serve time, and the District Attorney had branded him as the "bad" man who had led his cousin, Hendricks, astray. But Judge Smith had a more just view of the situation, and put Melchior on two years' probation, the same as his associate, appointing Attorney Van Elton as probation officer. The court also spoke words of friendly warning and impressed upon the offender the fact that any wandering from the path of rectitude will result, unapplied for himself.

THE DEFENSE COUNSEL.

HEART ACCHES FOR A "VAG."

CITY JAIL "TRUSTY" BREAKS OUT IN RHYME.

Chiropractic Tripp Tells With Poetic Pathos the Tale of a Drunken Tramp Who Dies on the Hard Prison Floor—Horse-buster Convicted—Jawsmith Fined.

Howard Carlton Tripp, a chiropractor who was caught in the net spread for quacks by the State Medical Board, has burst into song.

Tripp is serving a sentence of 300 days in jail, but prison bars have not prevented him from writing the "Horse-buster" and "Jawsmith" songs.

He is now a "trustee" in the Receiving Hospital, where he is used as a nurse. The man's knowledge of surgery and his great care of patients have been of considerable assistance to police surgeons and medical officers.

Yesterday Tripp's soul welled in sympathy with the vags, and he told of his heartache in verse:

Only a vag with a battered face,
ONLY A VAG.
A hand-me-down and a broken rim;
With little of manhood or pride, or grace.
In any part of the thing called "him."

They threw him into the drunkard's cell,
And left him there in the dark alone,
Alone in the awful fumes of hell—
A drunken mass on a floor of stone.

The jailer came with the morning light
And brought him a crust of mouldy bread,
But a drunken apoplexy had taken flight,
Only a vagabond now was dead.

Then an old pine box and a ragged sheet
A driver, a pray and a coffin sealed;
Then a lonely drive down the dusty street,
And a nameless grave in the Potter's Field.

Only a vag without a name,
A worthy purpose or object high,
Yet I hold all people are to blame
That this one brother should live and die.

HOWARD CARLTON TRIPP.
BEAT HIS HORSE.

R.P.C.A. CONVICTS BRANSON.

Ernest Branson, a driver employed by the Broadway Market, was found guilty of cruelty to animals yesterday in Judge Chambers' court. The complaint being made by Humane Officer Zimmer.

Zimmer testified that he saw Branson driving a horse covered with welts, even whip marks on its neck and legs, where it had been beaten. One of the officers of the society watched the young man and saw him mistreating the horse, and he testified that Branson swore the horse was balky and had to be whipped.

One of his employers testified that Branson is a hard driver but a good one. He was found guilty, sentence being set for this morning.

JAWSMITH FINED.

COSTELLO TALKS TOO MUCH.

Many Charges Against Ross.

Charges against Ross Martin, the domestic servant of the late Mrs. Martin, multiplied in the Police Court yesterday. Three petty larceny complaints were filed against him by Humane Officer Zimmer.

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PLAYHOUSES AND PLAYERS.

MASON OPERAHOUSE. An actor who can stand the tests of "Hamlet" may properly be denominated as great. Mr. Sothern bears well the tests upon which many an actor of large capabilities has stumbled.

Without a doubt the world has found a new and brilliant interpreter of "Hamlet" in Mr. Sothern. The character appears to be in every sense congenial to him, and his interpretation is a masterpiece.

Mr. Sothern's Hamlet is highly intellectual, refined and psychological. Few actors have better revealed the soul of the "melancholy Dane" in so sympathetic a manner as Mr. Sothern.

The play, as we all know, is something more than a tragedy. It is a sublime study in psychology, and a tragic poem of surpassing beauty and of surpassing pathos. Its equal has never been written. Its interpretation calls for the highest art, and the most subtle spiritual insight. These Mr. Sothern possesses in abundance. His soul enters into the character, and no one who listens to his reading of the magnificent lines can doubt that he feels profoundly their poetic beauty.

Mr. Sothern's stage presence compares well with the established conception of Hamlet. In physical appearance, as he makes up for the role, he is like another Edwin Booth returned to the mimic platform. And in other ways than mere physical appearance, he is reminiscent of Booth, although he is not by any means an imitator of that consummate artist. There is distinct originality in Mr. Sothern's methods. His conception differs from that of Booth, "as one star differs from another in glory."

It is not to be understood that Mr. Sothern's Hamlet is without some flaws. While his elocution is generally well modulated, it is sometimes rather too slow and deliberate to secure the highest dramatic effect. And at times, too, his speech is so quick and staccato that the some of the editor's words are lost, even to the auditor sitting well down in front. In action, however, he is graceful to the last degree. His handsome and mobile face expresses the varying shades of emotion with fine artistic effect, and his performance, on the whole, is superb.

Julia Marlowe is an adorable Ophelia. Her interpretation of the role fulfills all requirements. There have been Ophelias and Ophelias by the score, but it is rarely that the character has had a more sympathetic interpreter than Miss Marlowe. She touches the right chord in every phase and feature of the lovely and loving character—one of the sweetest and saddest of all the character creations of the master dramatist. The character of Ophelia, while it does not demand a wide range of dramatic ability or power on the part of the player, does require much refinement of art, and this is supplied by Miss Marlowe. It is a mistake, however, for her to come before the curtain in response to an encore just after she has supposedly been drowned. The company supporting the co-stars is adequate, and the play is mounted admirably, even "sumptuously," as the critics say.

Although the play was "cut" somewhat last night, the performance lasted from 7:45 to nearly midnight. It will be repeated tonight, giving place to "The Merchant of Venice" during the remainder of the engagement, which will close with the present week.

Grand's Venture. The Grand's stock company, headed by Richard Grand, will take an unusual venture next week in "The Merchant of Venice," a play of the melodramatic performance.

Richard Grand, who was the stage director of the production, and soon after the play, the part of "Shylock" will be played by Grand. The play is a rule, have Grand's venture.

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THE MARK OF GOOD CLOTHES

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NO CHANCE

now for a shabby suit to hide itself under an imposing overcoat. Tog up! Tomorrow means one day's choice less. You young fellows with your ideas of great-shouldered, full, long coats and trousers full and easy—this means you especially. There's still plenty of choice in College Brand Clothes.

BUT the next

week's buying will nick the assortment mightily. For instance, there are the new West Point grays—the shade. Burnt orange tones (smart and extreme)—lemon yellow (it is unusual, but it's the real thing if you've the courage,) and any number of more or less vehement plaids and stripes and mixtures. They're shaped just as extreme as the cloths of which they're built—the only spot of conservatism on the garments is the price spot. Just a whisper of the time to buy "outing suits." Ours are here—crackerjack styles, too.

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Girls' Brown Oxfords \$4.00

About the sweetest shoe that has come in for girls and misses this spring is the oxford of dark brown kid. It is made on a new, broad, comfortable last, very fetching in style; welt sole, military heel. Especially comfortable for walking and street wear. The same shoe in a high cut with seven large brown buttons, \$4.00. C. M. Staub Shoe Co. 255 South Broadway

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25c A Yard

No stretching of valuations—our reputation is too valuable an asset to jeopardize by misleading advertising. Most of this five thousand-yard lot are eight to fifteen-inch edgings; comparatively few beadings to match. Finest of cambric, Swiss and nainsook. No coarse materials. The patterns are new, varied, beautiful—no trashiness. None will be sold or shown until 8:30 tomorrow morning. And the chances are the entire lot will be closed out before noon.

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A saving of practically 25 per cent. on the most sightly and most serviceable of American-made rugs—first quality Royal Wiltons from the Hartford and "Bigelow" mills.

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Three days of "black-silk-selling" begin this morning; after Saturday your chances for buying the most staple silks at a quarter to a third under regular reasonable prices will be gone. Until then, finest Taffetas, Peau de Soies and other worthy weaves will be sold at reductions averaging like this:

Peau De Soies

30-inch width, regularly \$1.50, now \$1.10.
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36-inch width, regularly \$2.25, now \$1.50.

Taffetas

Real Imported Goods
30-inch Italian taffeta, \$1 grade, now 75c.
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At 50c—ladies' plain black hosiery, or black with white foot. Also splendid line of tan colors. These are made of real mace cotton, and are absolutely fast dyed.
At 35c—fine hosiery thread hose with garter top, absolutely fast black and warranted for wear. 30c a pair, or 3 pairs for \$1.00.
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N. Stevens of Portland, Me. president, and Miss Anna Garrison of New York city, vice-president, in the house of the First Congregational church. The national officers will be on the coast to attend local conferences and incidentally to stir up interest in the national convention, which will meet in this city in October. Mrs. Stevens is a refined, interesting woman, with a

tenance and sincere manner. In small in stature, has thin lips and wears her hair combed down over her face. In her dark brown hair, she appears to be not a gray hair. The fact that she has been president of the State organization of the United States for 15 years and is now president, would seem to indicate she might naturally expect to be so.

She wore yesterday a beautiful pearl-colored silk, and a very womanly. A lot of the women manifest after they are married for a time, but her motherly Mrs. Stevens.

Mr. Stearns, a little man, spoke sufficiently to make her a speaker. She spoke in a sonorous voice; delivered her words clearly enunciating each syllable, and with form of the oration of the student of oratory strokes with the left hand with the right.

Introducing Mrs. Stearns, Mr. Hesser Griffin, president of the city, then introduced her and been planted by the labor Day, on the highest point in Park, and named in honor of the president.

Mrs. Stearns then, after having expressed her thanks, named for her in beautiful words, and then plunged into her speech with a local touch and a dash of the State. She didn't come to the end of

the national convention. You don't need that; I want to come to get ideas for the order to be able to arrange national programs, and we had everything looking for the convention. In the United States we are bringing the national convention to Los Angeles. Nine years ago we came to come here, but it had the time of a great success and we were asked to fear, come way or other, an adverse influence on the struggle of the women of suffering. At that time the subject we come to Los Angeles the Frances Willard interview expression that followed I to drop.

THAT'S A BIG THING. That you is know," comments. "what is coming. on of the Woman's Christian Union is different convention, and it is a convention of women. A great treat is in store. I am glad to find such strong favor of total prohibition traffic in California. Half the territory of the states is now under prohibition or local, and living to more than thirty million people."

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RIGHT WOMEN FROM MAINE.

Reception in Their Honor by White Ribboners.

Most Women's Convention in World Coming.

More Guests Delighted by the Floral Display.

A wilderness of wild-mustard blossoms, white roses, white carnations and white lilies, the ladies of the Woman's Temperance Union greeted the national officers yesterday at the reception in the parlors of the Hotel. The national officers are on their way to the convention in Portland, Me., and will be in the city in the afternoon. The ladies of the Union are on their way to the convention in Portland, Me., and will be in the city in the afternoon. The ladies of the Union are on their way to the convention in Portland, Me., and will be in the city in the afternoon.

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Hamburger's—Daily Bulletin

Voile Skirts Underpriced

Special Sale Thursday Only

\$15.00 Stylish Skirts at \$9.95

It is seldom that even this large firm can offer at as low a price such an exceptional value in a separate dress skirt, as is evidenced by this line of handsome black voile dress skirts, that are made over a good quality taffeta drop. They are trimmed with silk; are correctly tailored throughout; hang nicely; fit well, and are thoroughly as good as most skirts sold anywhere at \$15.00. They will be on sale for the one day only at choice.

\$9.95



Two Millinery Specials

These lines of spring and summer millinery are the very latest in style, all of best materials and making, and are at least one-third lower in price than similar qualities can be purchased elsewhere.



Dress and Suit Hats at \$6.50

Women's and misses' dress hats, consisting of Cuba lace flats, with shirred chiffon facings, and velvet pipings, trimmed with crushed roses and velvet ribbons; also suit hats of satin and hair braids, in Sailor and turban shapes, trimmed ornamented effects, finished with velvet ribbon. Special at...

\$6.50

Women's and Misses' Suit Hats at \$4.85

A choice assortment, special for today's selling. Some are of pretty Milan braid, finished with velvet bindings, trimmed with velvet strap and quills; others Sailors of mixed braids, trimmed with ribbon and palm aigrettes. This is a very select lot of popular headwear for street uses, and will match nicely with any of the new suits. They are offered for today at choice.

\$4.85

Sale of Men's Neckwear

A Chance For a Summer Supply At Little Cost
50c to \$1.00 New Silk Ties at 25c

Our New York Buying Organization recently made a deal with one of the largest factories of men's silk neckwear, to make up from the odd pieces left from the season's work, as many neckties as possible, and we would take the entire lot at a price. This was satisfactory to the maker, and this present lot is the result. There are not so very many styles of a kind, but in the assortment are Four-in-hands, Ascots, English Squares, Imperials, Club Strings, Ties, Princess, Puffs, and, in fact, every shape of new neckwear. All of them fine grades of silk, in stylish colorings and patterns, and representing regular retail values from 50c up to \$1.00. All of them go on sale Thursday at choice.

25c

Stationery Specials



Wedding Invitations—Engraved in the very best manner, correct and latest style, finest quality stationery, same workmanship and quality, paper that you would pay \$15 for elsewhere, special for this week, per 100, \$9.00

Engraved Calling Cards—Fifty cards, including copper plate, special only, 98c

Stereoscopic Views—A large assortment, including St. Louis World's Fair, also comic views, per dozen, special, 30c

Shopping Bags—Net bags, strongly made, in popular sizes; reg. 25c; special, 19c

Writing Paper—Good quality, paper and envelopes, nicely boxed; regular value 7c; special for today only, 3c

Good Lead Pencils—Nickel tips and rubber eraser; regular 25c quality; special per dozen, 15c

Souvenir Postal Cards—Comic subjects and local bits; also new imitation burnt leather; per dozen, 15c

Writing Tablets—Superfine cream wove, fine quality, fifty sheets, ruled or plain; choice three sizes; special for today only, 5c

Waxed Paper—for putting up lunches; 24 sheets in package; special at 7c

Cream Paper Lunch Bags—Table cloth, size 42x79 inches, 12 napkins and 12 dollars; regular 30c; special at 23c

Cream Paper—All colors, full length and full width rolls; regular 10c; special, each, 5c

Society Stationery—Eaton-Huribut's, in all the new styles and colors; Chiffon Taffeta, one of the latest, 24 sheets and envelopes, in a box, at 25c; Princess Lines, 24 sheets and envelopes, box, 25c; English Hand Woven, 24 sheets and envelopes, box, 25c; Highland Lines, 24 sheets and envelopes, box, 25c; Colonial Lines, 24 sheets and envelopes, box, 25c; Ardrey Lines, 24 sheets and envelopes, box, 25c; Latin Manuscript, 24 sheets and envelopes, box, 25c; Voile du Monde, 24 sheets and envelopes, box, 25c; Business Envelopes—250, good quality, regular 45c; special per box, 35c

Globe of the World—Buy one and keep posted on the war movements which will make history within the next few days; regular 50c; special at 39c

Thursday Morning Bargains On Sale 8 to 12

\$1.75 Couch Covers, Three Yards 95c

These are of heavy striped Persian tapestry, perfectly reversible in pattern and are finished with heavy hand-made fringe.

THIRD FLOOR.

Fancy Shirt Waist Suit Silks 50c

All new spring and summer silks in street shades of brown, navy, green, red, gray, tan and black grounds, with small woven figures, hair line stripes and checks, shepherd checks, corded stripes and checks; dash effects, jacquard figures and others; are in taffeta and Louisiana weaves.

36 Inch All Wool Vests 29c

Fifty full pieces, in every wanted street shade, also in cream and black; are of lustrous finish, silver open mesh weaves, light weight; strictly all wool, and cannot be matched in any other store under 50c.



75c Fancy Back Combs 19c

For four hours, 8 to 12, Thursday, another lot of solid shell and amber, hand-finished back combs. They are a manufacturer's entire surplus stock and sample line, numbering more than three thousand combs, and were made to sell up to 75c.

Fire Proof Baking Dishes 19c

Exceptionally fine quality fireproof baking ware, dark cobalt blue outside, white inside, and heavy gold edge; in fact, are pretty enough to serve on any table. They are deep or shallow; are in several sizes, and worth 75c, but are on special sale Thursday from 8 to 12 only.

THIRD FLOOR.

White Curtain Swiss 7c

A 36-inch drapery material, with woven spray patterns; are new, perfect goods, in full bolts, and made to sell at 10c. We will cut any desired length, and they are just the thing for bed or living-room curtains.

THIRD FLOOR.

Choice New Vellings 15c

Consisting of silk chiffon, in white or black, with striped border and two-toned dots; dotted and plain black tissue veiling, with single, double or triple satin, striped borders and plain or dotted mesh and cable net veillings; regular 25c to 50c values.

Fabric and Leather Belts 25c

A large line of this season's fabric and leather belts, in a variety of styles, colors and sizes. You can find something in this assortment, certainly, to please, and be satisfied that they are good values at 75c.

75c Fancy White Lawn Shirt Waists, at 45c

An excellent assortment of pretty wash waists of good quality white lawn, with small black polka dots; are trimmed with self plaits and inserting; some of these waists are plain white, trimmed with insertion. All of them are nicely finished, and would not be overpriced at any time at 75c. They are on sale from 8 to 12 Thursday only.

SECOND FLOOR.

New Muslin Gowns 35c

They are tucked, full length; are made with V-shaped neck, and trimmed with four rows of embroidery insertion; are amply proportioned, and are regular 50c values.

35c China Cuspidors 19c

They are highly glazed Majolica ware cuspidors, a pretty brown shade, and made in fancy shapes. They are regular 35c values.

10c Dress Gingham 6c

This is a pretty pink and blue striped dress gingham that makes up so prettily and washes so well, and is a standard make, 28 inches wide, and usually sells at 10c.



Carnation Plants 49c

Thursday, per Dozen.

Rooted Carnations that we guarantee with ordinary care will all bloom; varieties are "Santa Rosa," "Alliance," "Los Angeles," "Corbett's," and "Boopercia." The same as sold by florists at 75c and \$1.00 per dozen.

Long Stem Carnations 10c

Thursday, per Bunch.

Are in large bunches, freshly picked; assorted colors; usually sold by florists at 25c.

New "Arrawana" Hammock

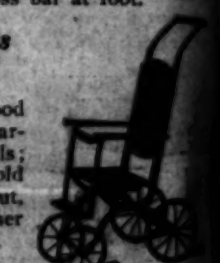
\$3.75 to \$4.50 Values \$2.98

at Choice.

Choice of three lines—fine canvas weave, with embroidered body and valance; size 38x81 inches; twilled weave in fancy jacquard designs; size 48x81 inches or patent Lenox weave, fancy design and 43x83 inch; all have pillows, wide valance spreader at head, and cross bar at foot.

\$2.75 Folding Go-Carts \$2.15

Has perforated back, wood seat, green enameled gearing; 8 and 10 inch wheels; is light weight, and will fold compactly. It is like cut, and same have sold in other stores from \$2.75 to \$3.00.



Stock Reducing Sale of Shoes

Styles to Please All Fancies, Lasts to Fit All Feet. A Price to Suit Any Purse.

Women's \$2.50 to \$3.00 Welting and Turned Sole Shoes at \$1.47



Button or lace style, some Blucher cut; have French, Cuban, and common-sense heels; broad, medium and common-sense toes. Women's \$2.00 to \$2.50 Heel and Spring Heel Boots, at \$1.47. Particularly desirable for young women; are of durable kid, box calf and patent leather. Lace or button styles, and all of them McKay made.

Women's \$2.50 to \$3.00 House and Boudoir Slippers, at \$1.47. An assortment of strap sandals, opera slippers and Juliettes in patent leather or fancy kid, with high, low or medium heels. Every pair hand sewed.

Men's \$2.50 to \$3.00 House Slippers, at \$1.47. In Romeo, Faust, Opera and Everett styles, in red, brown, black or gray kid skin, goat skin and oose skin.

25c Ribbons, Today, Per Yard 10c

This is an excellent assortment of taffeta, satin taffeta, gauze and ombre striped ribbons, in all the street and pastel colorings; are suitable for hair ribbons, bows and ties; values to 25c. Bargain Table, Hosiery Aisle.

BABIES' BIBS

At Less Than

Half Price

This is an exceptional offering, consisting of one lot of plain and trimmed bibs, worth regularly 35c, on sale today at choice 15c; another lot, all shapes, trimmed with embroidery edgings, worth 60c, at choice 25c.

SECOND FLOOR.

\$2.50 Shopping Bags at 95c

This is a most exceptional offering, comprising the sample line and surplus stock of one of the leading manufacturers, representing the most desirable and newest of the 1934 models; they are in Walnut, Hippo, and Grain leathers, in brown, tan and black; have plated Vienna and strap handles, and are fitted with extra cords and card cases; the kinds that are being sold elsewhere at \$2.00 and \$2.50. Extra special today at choice 95c.



Write FOR WHAT YOU WANT

THURSDAY IS "HOUSEFURNISHING" DAY

We Sell For Less

Blanket Specials

\$1.25 Cotton Blankets 89c

These are a good heavy 11-4 blanket in tan, gray or white, with long fleecy nap, and assorted fancy borders; are nicely finished, and actually worth \$1.25.

\$1.50 Cotton Blankets \$1.09

These are a choice, heavy 11-4 cotton blanket, in white, tan or gray; have long, fleecy nap, and are extra closely woven; full double bed size; actual \$1.50 value.

\$5.00 All Wool Blankets \$3.95

These are fine, pure all-wool medicated scarlet blankets, weigh 5 pounds to the pair and are a fine article of long-wearing qualities; positively guaranteed to be a \$5.00 grade.

Rugs and Carpets

\$15.00 9x10 ft. Rugs, at \$12.50

These rugs are in all the newest colorings and designs, are specially adapted to general use in dining and bed rooms, or parlors, and are a regular \$15.00 grade.

\$12.50 Smyrna Rugs, 6x9 ft. Reversible, Today at \$10.50

These are choice fine wool Smyrna rugs, in new and handsome designs, are perfectly reversible, and just the thing for reception halls and dining rooms, as they lay particularly well on the floor.

\$1.35 Velvet Carpet, A Special Value, at 1c

This is a matchless offering of beautiful velvet carpet, in all the newest spring colorings and patterns, the production of the famous Alex. Smith & Sons; they are with or without borders, also in hall and stair patterns, not to be confused with the inferior printed velvets sometimes advertised by others as bargains.

40c White and Pink Nougat Candy, Per Pound 25c

Is our own make; strictly pure and fresh. Sells regularly at 40c per pound, but for Thursday only, offered special per pound. No phone orders filled.

SALE of Bed Springs, Mattresses and Cots

One Full Carload on Special Sale Thursday

Possibly you have not realized to what an extent our business in these lines of merchandise has grown in the past few months. We use a large part of our commodious basement for salesroom, and have it well stocked. We have just unloaded a full carload of these wantables, and will offer them at special sale prices Thursday, as it is just about the time to move to the beaches, or take possession of the cottages you may have built or rented in the city. You will appreciate being able to secure such worthy merchandise at much less than you would be asked in the exclusive furniture stores of this city.

\$3.00 WHITE ENAMELED BEDS \$2.00

"Housefurnishing Day" at

Have best baked on enamel, fine smooth finish; steel chills and joints; fancy corner posts. They are thoroughly well made, and good size.

\$6.00 Brass Trimmed Beds \$4.95

These are white enameled beds, with brass rail on head and foot; brass balls and vases, with center brass spindle; steel joints and chills; are in all sizes.

\$10.00 White Enameled Beds \$7.95

Have three coats best baked on enamel; full continuous posts; handsome scroll work, and high curved, camel head and foot, finished with large fancy shells.

BASEMENT.

\$20.00 White Enameled Beds \$12.50

Have full 1 1/2-inch posts, making one of the strongest of beds; have large fancy chills, on a continued head and foot board; a full one-half-inch filling, and has a special side fastener.

\$5.00 Reversible Mattresses \$3.50

Have five-inch box borders; are filled with heavy layer cotton on top and bottom, making them perfectly reversible, and they are closely tufted and stitched.

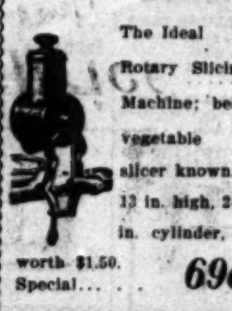
\$6.00 All Steel Springs \$3.75

Have heavy steel side rail, double woven wire top, with twenty-one extra steel spiral springs for under-support, and are reinforced by a steel cable support; they are sanitary and vermin proof.

\$3.00 Folding Cots \$1.75

They are of canvas, on a hardwood frame, with folding legs, and are covered with strong duck, including one mattress pad to fit; cannot be purchased elsewhere under \$3.

Household Necessities at Little Prices



The Ideal

Rotary Slicing

Machine; best

vegetable

slicer known.

13 in. high, 2 1/2

in. cylinder.

worth \$1.50.

Special... 69c



Jelly Molds of heavy

polished tin; 1, 1 1/2, 2

and 3 pint sizes; worth

10c and 15c.

at 5c

Paring knives with

cocobolo handles

and fancy bolster

well worth 15c

at 5c



Clothes Racks—The

fold

ing kind; 21 feet

hanging

space; made of

well

seasoned

natural

wood;

worth

98c, at 49c



Mrs. Vrooman's Sink

Strainers—heavy

tin

with

wire

stand;

worth

35c,

at 19c

Household Linen Specials

The fact that we supply many of the largest hotels in the Southwest with their table and bed linens, is conclusive proof that our prices are lowest. Not only on large quantities, but on purchases of any size, large or small, you can make a saving by supplying your needs in this line. The "Housefurnishing Day" specials, featured here, are particularly attractive.

Full Bleached Sheetling 20c

Good quality, at per yard.

A Thursday offering of one case of full bleached sheeting, of good, firm quality and soft finish, free from dressing, at a price that offers exceptional value.

50c Bed Sheets, Ready Made, Today, at each 39c

One lot of ready made bed sheets, 2 yards wide and 2 1/2 yards long, actual 50c value, on sale as a special feature.

50c Bureau Scarfs, Of Bleached Linen, Today at 25c

100 dozen bureau scarfs, of bleached linen, in open work and fancy brocaded weaves; size 17x30 inches; regular 50c value.

35c Domestic Towels, All Linen, Today, at Each 19c

These are of large size, have long-knotted fringe on ends, and hemstitched borders; worth 35c.

All Linen Napkins, Dinner Size, Today, at Each 12c

All linen, silver bleached napkins, hemmed ready for use, a quality that you could not duplicate anywhere else at this special sale price.

12c Crash Toweling, All Linen, Bleached, at 8c

This is 17 inches wide, and a quality that will give good service; on sale today at one-third less than actual value.

19c Japanese Matting, Sale 8 to 12 12c

Two thousand yards of the Japanese linen warp matting—reversible designs, mostly white background. This is an assortment of two thousand yards, in 40 yard rolls, but will be cut any desired length.

FOURTH FLOOR.

Twenty-fourth Year
PER ANNUM. \$

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NO ADVANCE IN PRICES

Next Week

MASON OPERA

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BASED NOW ON MAIN

ORPHEUM

MODEL

PAUL CORNELL, THE NEW

JACK MASON'S GALLERY

S. T. WILSON, THE NEW

COFFEE AND SODA

at the SAVANNAH LUNCH

Prices at Union—10c, 20c